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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: John S. Patton

Application No.: 10/693.318

Group No.: 3761

Filed: October 24, 2003

Examiner: A. Lewis

For: Method and Device for Delivering Aerosolized Medicaments

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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS
—NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed December 23, 2003.

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| 1. | Filing Fee
Original patent application | \$770.00 |
| 2. | Fees for Claims
Each independent claim in excess of 3
Each claim in excess of 20 | \$0.00
\$0.00 |
| 3. | Surcharge Fees
Late payment of filing fee | \$130.00 |
| | Total Completion Fees | \$900.00 |

EXTENSION OF TIME

IV. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the other than small entity fee for which is set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), for one month.

Fee	\$110.00
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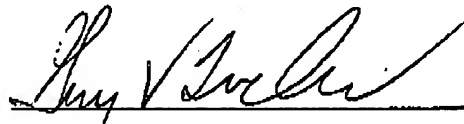
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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| V. The total fee due is: | |
| Completion fees | \$900.00 |
| Extension fee (if any) | \$110.00 |
| Total Fee Due | \$1,010.00 |

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- VI. Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$1,010.00 to Deposit Account No. 500348. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$900** for a Large Entity

- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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